





# St. Michael's

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## PRINCIPAL'S INSTALLATION

On October 6, Professor William Berchmans Dunphy was installed by the Chancellor, His Eminence Gerald Emmett Carter, as Principal of St. Michael's College. A graduate of the Class of 4T8, Principal Dunphy remained at the University of Toronto to the completion of his doctorate. After a period of teaching at Fordham University, he returned to St. Michael's as a member of the Department of Philosophy where he rapidly rose to the rank of full Professor. Principal Dunphy was elected for six years as the faculty representative for the three federated Colleges on the Governing Council of the University of Toronto. After the completion of his full two terms, he remained on the Council

as a member designated by the President of the University. During the time he served as governor, he was, for several years, the Chairman of the Academic Affairs Committee and also served with the President of the U of T on the Council of Ontario Universities. He brings to his post a wide and deep knowledge both of the University of Toronto and all levels of post secondary education in the Province of Ontario. His wife, Kathleen Canill, is also a graduate of St. Michael's as are several of their children. Like his predecessor, Professor Lawrence Lynch, B. Dunphy is a "natural" for the job, bred if not born for it.



## PRINCIPAL'S INSTALLATION ADDRESS

'Each contributing of his own at the best'

Looking back on my experiences of St. Michael's and of the University of Toronto during eight years of undergraduate and graduate studies, I still feel the same excitement now as I felt when I learned of the collective vision of those educational pioneers who helped create a major innovation in North American higher education — a major state-supported university whose Faculty of Arts & Science was constituted out of four existing colleges, three of which reflected educational emphases stemming from different religious traditions. I have no intention now to recite the events that led to that historic act of federation, nor of the first 70 fruitful years of its development.

However, in a 1927 Convocation Hall address marking the joint celebrations of the 100th anniversary of the founding of the University of Toronto and the 75th anniversaries of St. Michael's and Trin-

ity, then President, Sir Robert Falconer noted that "federation through the various colleges, through this variety in unity, has made the University of Toronto a most interesting university, far more interesting than one that has no variety such as this, far more like the old continental university to which people from different nations flocked. The colleges do offer us something of the same sort bringing in new tempers, new ways of looking at life, new virtues, new attitudes; and by that variety, each contributing of his own at the best, the whole University is enriched, and I believe the province itself benefits thereby."

To my mind, this remark enunciates both the promise and the very principle of federation at Toronto — "each contributing of his own at the best", thereby enriching the entire University and, indeed, the wider community served by that University.

But times change, bringing with them new educational opportunities and chal-

enges. There occurred the rise to prominence of the social sciences and other new academic disciplines, an increased importance of departments as organizational structures, and, following World War II, a quantum leap in the size of the student body. While the principle of federation remained the same, the fulfilment of its promise was hampered by outmoded structural arrangements. It was for this reason that in 1974 a provisional Memorandum of Understanding was signed between the University of Toronto and the three universities federated with it.

Unfortunately, most of its objectives have yet to be realized. Some of these failures are directly attributable to the financial stringencies imposed upon the University; others, however, seem due in part to the gradual dominance within the University of an American-style preference for an academic structure on strictly departmental lines, with relatively autonomous departments respon-

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sible for the teaching in, and development of, a single academic discipline. More specifically, this has meant that a college, wishing to continue its tradition as a centre of teaching and academic enterprise, suddenly found itself set over against and seemingly apart from the truly academic centres of the Faculty, to wit, the departments.

Moreover, a proviso of the *Memorandum* requiring that all future university-funded academic appointments to the Faculty of Arts & Science be on a university contract effectively precluded the federated universities from exercising their rights of appointment, contributing further to their sense of being relegated to peripheral academic status.

Happily, the 1979 *Report of the Committee to Review the Memorandum of Understanding* recommended that the federated universities ought to be allowed to exercise their right to hold employment contracts with new academic appointees in arts and science. Unhappily, two years later, the status of this and other recommendations from that review is not at all clear.

Since, at this time, the Faculty of Arts & Science is entering the last stages of producing a planning document for the 1980s as part of a university-wide planning exercise, and especially in view of our college's desire to participate fully in the faculty's planning, the time seemed opportune for St. Michael's to take a fresh look at its educational mission, and to devise a set of academic objectives that would best enable it to achieve that goal in the circumstances likely to obtain during the next decade.

A planning committee has just produced its report, *St. Michael's College*:

*A Plan for the Eighties*, which contains a concrete set of objectives, grounded on a re-statement of our educational goals and on an analysis of our current situation with respect to profiles of both our academic staff and our students' course enrolment preferences, together with a long-range enrolment projection for St. Michael's prepared by the University of Toronto's planning staff.

One of the plan's fundamental assumptions is that a new climate of mutual understanding can be reached within arts and science between both its departments and its colleges.

It seems to me that some of us in the colleges need to become more aware of, and sensitive to, the deep and legitimate concerns that departments have that their members participate fully in the academic life and administrative responsibilities of those departments.

At the same time, departmental officials need to understand better that for some of their departmental colleagues to participate in the academic life of a college does not necessarily mean that they will abdicate departmental responsibilities or cease to contribute to the health and strength of their particular academic disciplines.

But assumptions to the contrary seem to be deeply ingrained in both college and departmental *psyches*. Misunderstandings, false perceptions and even downright ignorance abound on all sides. It will not be an easy task to bring about that better climate of mutual understanding. However, I pledge my full and unremitting support to all efforts to bring it about.

If we fail, we will have betrayed the very principle of federation and frus-

trated its promise — that of "each contributing of his own at the best" to the ultimate enrichment of the educational experience of all arts and science students, without whom, let us remember, and remember well, we would lose our very *raison d'être*. It should go without saying, that any new proposals, any new arrangements, between colleges and departments that do not enhance the opportunities for our students to achieve a superior quality education in arts and science, should be consigned forthwith to the scrap heaps.

However, I have been, and remain, an optimist regarding the full flowering of the potentialities of our federated Faculty of Arts & Science. Paradoxically, the dark clouds of financial stringencies may have a silver lining — that of forcing us to take a careful and planned look at how we in arts and science can best utilize our wealth of talented human resources to meet more fully our multiple obligations to both undergraduate and graduate education and to the advancement of the myriad academic disciplines housed within it. This is the real challenge of the 80s — a challenge worthy of our very best collaborative efforts.

Permit me to close with a paraphrase of the remark attributed years ago to a chairman of the board of a large US automobile manufacturer, without, I hope, suffering its subsequent misinterpretations.

'What's good for St. Michael's is good for the Faculty of Arts & Science' and, as I am convinced, the equally true converse, 'What's good for the Faculty of Arts & Science, is good for St. Michael's.'

## TORONTO ALUMNI PRESIDENT

Mr. Edward Kerwin, grad of 1968 and President of the S.M.C. Alumni Association from 1976-1978 will be the President of the University of Toronto Alumni Association for the coming year. Edward has been very active in Alumni Affairs both at the College and the University for several years, has served on many important committees of both organizations, and on the Governing Council of the University of Toronto as a co-opted Alumni member. He is currently the Chairman of the Electoral Col-

lege of the U. of T., the body which elects the eight Alumni members of the Governing Council and also the Chancellor of the University. He is a lawyer with McCarthy and McCarthy, married, and, with his wife Anne, the parents of two daughters. Edward is esteemed both at St. Mike's and the U. of T. and, at this important period when Alumni are becoming more essential to the entire University, St. Michael's is proud to have Edward as the captain of the ship.



(Credit: Paul Wainman)

# CONVOICATIONS 1981

Convocations have a special place in the life of an academic institution. They are happy events, moments of celebration for the very simple reason that they mark the successful fulfillment of the aims of the institution. Students graduate and they receive the accolade of success, their diplomas. St. Michael's each year joins with the University of Toronto in celebrating the success of her undergraduates. She does this in both Spring and Fall, the latter becoming more important with the advent of part time students who complete their work during the summer months. In 1981, these Convocations took place on June 17 and November 25.

It is indicative, however, of the university status of St. Michael's that she holds other convocations as well. The Pontifical Institute of Mediaeval Studies conducts its own Convocation for the conferral of Licentiate and Doctoral degrees. As reported in an earlier 'Newsletter' on the occasion of its fiftieth birthday, it also conferred six honorary degrees on distinguished mediaevalists. This year, the Institute's Convocation took place on November 21, 1981. The Faculty of Theology also holds its own Convocation, this year on November 28, 1981. While such Convocations have been taking place for more than 25 years, they have grown in both size and importance since 1977, the occasion of St. Michael's 125th birthday.

It may occasion surprise to some that St. Michael's now numbers over 1,000 theological graduates from the Master of Divinity to the Ph.D. in Theology, the 1981 class being the largest in history.

The Theological Convocation is also the occasion when St. Michael's singles out some individuals who by the lustre of their lives merit honorary degrees. It is doubly fortunate when such individuals are also graduates of St. Michael's. This year, the honorary graduates were Catherine de Hueck Doherty, Sister St. John O'Malley and the Honourable Paul Martin.

It was regrettable that illness prevented Catherine Doherty from receiving her degree in person. Father Michael Sheehan's citation noted the varied ventures of this indomitable and redoubtable woman in the service and betterment of her fellow men and women. St. Michael's is proud to include



*Prof. Barry Brown, Hon. Paul Martin.*



*Sister St. John; Sister Frances, NIMS*

her among her graduates. Sister St. John and Paul Martin were repeaters — graduates of 2T1 and 2T5 respectively, whom St. Michael's now claims as her own for the second time. Sister Frances Nims presented Sister St. John to the Chancellor in a citation which revealed simultaneously her own and the entire St. Michael's Community's respect and love for one of her own devoted servants and illustrious teachers, a pillar on which to build the future. Professor Barry Brown presented Mr. Martin. The citation cast Mr. Martin in the complementary roles of servant in public for the public, scholar, lawyer, diplomat, distinguished Canadian, vital force in the development and betterment of Canada. Mr. Martin delivered the Convocation address, reminiscent of the past, proud of the College's progress and unabashedly hopeful for the future.

## MINDPOWER

**Education develops our natural resource.**

# A Proposal to Review the Structure and Responsibilities of the Collegium

The University of St. Michael's College is a chartered university comprising a faculty of arts (St. Michael's College), a faculty of theology, and a Pontifical Institute of Mediaeval Studies. Except for theology, USMC holds its degree granting powers in abeyance while it remains federated with the University of Toronto. The College (SMC) is a constituent part of the Faculty of Arts of the University of Toronto and the Faculty of Theology is part of the Toronto School of Theology. USMC is presided over by a President, a Collegium and a Senate.

The St. Michael's College Act, 1958, passed by Legislature of the Province of Ontario and promulgated on 1 July 1958, provides the legal basis on which the University operates. This Act establishes the powers of the Collegium and the Senate, and sets out the academic, financial and administrative structure of the University.

## The Establishment of the Committee

In November 1981, the Collegium established a Special Committee to study the role, functions and membership of the Collegium. The decision to establish such a committee was occasioned by formal requests received by the Collegium earlier in the Fall from the St. Michael's College Alumni Association and the St. Michael's College Students' Union that the two assessor members (observers) each group now has on the Collegium be granted full (voting) membership. The decision should also be seen, however, in the light of recent increased involvement by the Collegium in planning for St. Michael's.

## The Composition of the Committee

The Committee was initially comprised of three members: Dr. Frederick T. Flahiff, Mrs. Joan Johnston and Dr. Edward J. Monahan. At the Committee's request, two members were added: Rev. H.B. Gardner, C.S.B. and Richard Gyug. All are members of the Collegium: Professor Flahiff and Father Gardner by reason of office as Vice-President (Administration) and Councillor of the University respectively, Mr. Gyug, Mrs. Johnston and Dr. Monahan as assessor members, Mr. Gyug a graduate student from the Pontifical Institute of Mediaeval Studies, Mrs. Johnston, named by the Alumni Association and Dr. Monahan, named at large.

## The Powers of the Collegium

The St. Michael's College Act, 1958 establishes the Collegium as the governing body of USMC and gives to it the normal powers associated with such a body.

All real and personal property belonging to the University is vested in the Collegium. It has the power to acquire by purchase, gift or otherwise real and personal property for the purpose of the University, and to dispose of property for the same purposes. It has the power to establish faculties and departments; to appoint members of the academic, administrative and support staff, to prescribe their duties, powers and authority; and to dismiss them. It has the power to impose tuition and other fees.

## The Composition of the Collegium

The Collegium is composed of ten members, seven designated by office and three elected by the other seven. Those who are members by reason of office are the President, Vice-President, Registrar, Bursar and Councillor of the University, the Principal of the College and the Praeses of the Institute. Several years ago the Collegium was expanded by the addition of six assessor (non-voting) members: two named by the St. Michael's College Alumni Association, two students, one undergraduate and one graduate, and two named at large. The undergraduate student is named by the St. Michael's College Students' Union. Theology and PIMS name the graduate student on an alternate basis: Theology for two years and PIMS for one year.

The Act states that there shall be an Executive Committee of the Collegium comprised of the President, Vice-President and Councillor of the University. It also provides for an Academic Senate and specifies the powers and composition of that body.

## The Objectives of the 1958 Act

At the first meeting of the Collegium, held on 2 July 1958, the day after the Act came into effect, the Chairman tabled a statement of four major objectives those responsible for drawing up the Act had had in mind; and indicated that these objectives should be seriously

considered and scrupulously observed when interpreting the meaning of the Act and drawing up by-laws for the Collegium.

These objectives were:

1. To establish St. Michael's as a university in its own right;
2. To preserve as long as possible the principle of federation within the University of Toronto;
3. To provide St. Michael's with satisfactory machinery for holding property and for carrying on all necessary business in a legal and expeditious manner; and
4. To accomplish these objectives within the spirit and letter of the constitutions of the Priests of St. Basil and of Canon Law.

Since 1958 circumstances and conditions in USMC have changed considerably and the future holds prospects for further change. These changes have rendered the 1958 Act obsolete in a number of important respects, and it is to consider remedies to this that the Committee has been established. In order to assist the University of St. Michael's College to meet more fully its responsibilities in the decade of 80s and beyond, consideration will be given to altering the governing structure to reflect more adequately current realities and amending the 1958 Act as required to give effect to these modifications.

## The Plan of the Committee

In its preliminary assessment of the task before it, the Committee has agreed to proceed on the basis of the following fundamental points:

1. St. Michael's is a Catholic institution of higher learning federated with the University of Toronto;
2. The history and traditions of St. Michael's are essentially bound up with the role that dedicated priests and religious, principally members of the Basilian Order, have played in it. Recently this involvement has declined greatly and this decline is unlikely to be reversed in the foreseeable future.
3. Academic and financial planning for St. Michael's should be integrated and developed in the light of the nature, traditions and current status of the University; and

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4. The governing structure of the University should reflect the realities of 1-3 above.

In proceeding with its review, the Committee plans to give consideration to:

- a) expanding the size of the Collegium and broadening its composition,
- b) specifying the powers of the Collegium as judged appropriate in the light of a);
- c) amending the by-laws of the Collegium in the light of a) and b), and to develop a more effective Committee structure,
- d) modifying the composition and powers of the Senate as judged necessary to make it a more effective academic body and to improve its relationship to the Collegium and;
- e) specifying more clearly the relationships among the College, the Faculty of Theology and the Pontifical Institute of Mediaeval Studies, and three divisional Councils, the Senate and the Collegium.

In the pursuit of its work the Committee intends to consult widely within the St. Michael's community. It proposes to interview a number of present and former officers of the University, the Superior General of the Basilian Order, the Chancellor, the Basilian Community, the Sisters of St. Joseph, the Sisters of Loretto, the Alumni Association and the Students' Council. It will also be soliciting written briefs from the three Academic Councils (College, Theology and Institute) and meeting with each to discuss these briefs.

### The Position of the Government

The 1958 Act was passed prior to the major changes that Ontario universities have undergone in the past quarter century, changes which have involved major modifications in the financing and governing of universities. The advent of large scale public funding, in which USMC shares through its federation with the University of Toronto, has brought with it, not inappropriately, requirements for governing structure and accountability that did not pertain earlier.

Since the mid-60s, by which time the Government of the Province of Ontario had assumed major responsibilities for the funding of universities in this Province, the Ministry of Colleges and Universities has developed guidelines for use in determining what is appropriate for university statutes. Because universities in Ontario are autonomous institu-

tions, not government agencies, there has been no attempt to force universities to amend their acts. When new institutions are established and existing charters are amended, however, these guidelines come into play.

When, therefore, USMC is undertaking an examination of its internal governing structure, one should be aware of these guidelines. For it is unlikely that significant changes can be made in the governing structure of USMC without amendments to the 1958 Act, and it will not be possible to amend the Act without taking these guidelines into account. The Ministry reviews all draft legislation affecting universities in this Province, including petitions to amend existing acts, to determine whether the proposals conform with current policy affecting the composition, powers and procedures of governing bodies of institutions in receipt of public funds.

Concerning the composition of governing bodies, these guidelines include the following: The board should include both "internal" and "external" members (such as Alumni, Members at Large, etc.), with the "external" members outnumbering the "internal" ones. Faculty, support staff and students should be included among the "internal" members, with faculty representation exceeding that of the students. All board members should be Canadian citizens. They should serve limited terms, with the terms staggered to provide regular turn-over. Board meetings should be open, except for confidential items, and notice of meetings should be given. By-laws should be published; proper minutes and records should be kept. Elections should be by secret ballot. A majority of the "quorum" should be "external" members, as should the Chairman and the Vice-Chairman of the Board.

### The Essential Task

The Committee holds that the restructuring of the Collegium will necessarily affect the responsibilities of all constituencies in St. Michael's. It therefore encourages members of USMC (including the Alumni) to consider ways in which the institution's governing structure (its Senate and its Councils as well as the Collegium) can become more responsive to our present circumstances, needs and obligations. At the same time, the Committee counsels all interested parties to bear in mind the context provided by the Province's guidelines within which — and only within which — the 1958 Act should be amended and significant change effected.

These are the issues at stake in this enquiry. The resolution of them in the light of the academic responsibilities and traditions of the University of St. Michael's College in the 80s and beyond is what the Committee has undertaken.

By this communication the Committee solicits written comments from individual members of the St. Michael's Community. These should be submitted c/o Professor Flahiff, who is serving as secretary to the Committee.

The Committee proposes to present a Report to the Collegium in May 1982.

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## BRAVO

Richard Barrett '47, Mario Bartolini '53, Thomas Hough '48, John Lawlor '64, Roman Maksymiw '64, Joseph Sorbara '63, Peter Speyer '64, Michael Syron '58, Fergus Walsh '38, on being named Queen's Counsels.

William F.P. Higgins '50 on being appointed Judge.

John Regan '53 on being elected Judge.

Bernard Weiler '31 on being named Knight Commander of St. Gregory

Edmund Nelligan '45 on being awarded the Medal of Honour by Catholic Education of Ontario.

Eugene Jacobs '52 on being named Chairman of the Board of Governors of the Ontario Institute for Studies in Education.

Father Charles Lavery '38 on being appointed Adjunct Professor in the University of Rochester's Center for the Study of Educational Administration.

William Mitchell '51 on his election as Executive Vice-President of Ford Motor Company of Canada.

Eric McKee '66 on his appointment as Director of Student Services at the U. of T.

Paul Kehoe '54 on his appointment as Senior Vice-President of Genstar Corporation.

Maureen Hynes '70 on the publication of *Letters from China*.

Norman King '58 on the publication of *The God of Forgiveness and Healing in the Theology of Karl Rahner*.

Maura (Slattery) Kuhn '71 on the publication of a book of Palindromic crossword puzzles, *Rats live on No Evil Star*.

Posthumously to Tom Murtha, '25, on the appearance of "Short Stories" by Thomas Murtha, edited by his son William.



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1981 will go down in history as the year the University of Toronto recognized that Homecoming never should have been abandoned. St. Michael's was more prescient and carried on alone for five years. This year, the College was able, once again, to join forces with the University in welcoming back to campus the classes of former years, the featured years being 1961, 1966, 1971 and 1976. Varsity unfortunately lost a heart breaker to Western, the U. of T. Band of yesteryear played with a little less dash and crackle than it did twenty years ago; the Float Parade failed to be a serious rival for the Rose Bowl, but Varsity Stadium had the biggest crowd in a decade, the two-day Oktoberfest was a ringing success; the Alumni of S.M.C. once more defeated the undergrads in the Boozer Brown football game and, if prizes for the best Homecoming had been awarded, St. Mike's would have won the Blue Ribbon. The Friday evening Reception drew about 200, the Saturday dinner about 175 and the Homecoming Mass about the same number of Alumni.

The St. Michael's Homecoming was organized by Mrs. Patricia (Kelly) McGee, 1968, assisted by Mrs. Mary (Vale) Hughes for 1961, Mrs. Muriel (Cassidy) Doyle for 1966, Mrs. Joan (Cordani) O'Keefe for 1971 and Chris Driscoll for 1976. Plans are already being made for 1982; the Blues are due for a Homecoming victory and the undergrads promise that next year the ancients will bow to youth in the Boozer Brown Annual Classic. If you belong to 6T2, 6T7, 7T2 or 7T7 this is an early alert.



Left to Right Suzanne Cremer, Frank Cremer, '61; Marty Hughes, '61; Mary (Vale) Hughes, '61; Judy Ryan, '61.

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Left to Right Paola (Superina) Randall, '76, Chris Driscoll, '76; Rob Randall, '76; Tom Dillon, '76; Jennifer (Upper) Weidmark, '76; Wendy Brennan, '76; Maureen (Hamer) Dillon, '76.

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As mentioned elsewhere in the 'Newsletter', the Registrar's Office will be relocated in Alumni Hall. This move from Carr Hall is made imperative by the need for additional space. The Registrar's duties now extend almost equally over the entire twelve months. Summer is no longer a relaxed period between busy semesters since the summer session begins almost as soon as the spring session ends and terminates just before the Michaelmas term begins. This, in itself, would not require ad-

ditional facilities but the growth in student numbers and the growth in staff required to accommodate the increase makes necessary the provision of more space. It is now clear that St. Michael's can no longer remain a small College. Registration and record keeping is no longer the relatively simple procedure of former years and the current student body of 2,900 will grow to 3,600 in a few years. This is a simple function of the number of students who put St. Michael's as their first choice of College and who have the rather demanding

grades to meet the St. George Campus admission requirements.

It cannot be said that the growth in numbers is a real surprise. The Catholic population of Metro Toronto is now nearly 50%. Where there were five Catholic high schools only a little over a generation ago, there are now nearly thirty and St. Michael's still draws nearly 50% of her students from high schools other than these. There are now two Assistant Registrars and an Awards Officer, as well as three full time additional

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administrative staff. At peak periods, several additional part-time staff are required. What is true of the Registrar's office is almost equally true of the Accounting offices. Still small by some standards, the annual budget is nearing 8 million. It was likely under \$100,000 fifty years ago.

The alternative to a College of this size is another Catholic College in Toronto. No one seems to have the daring to undertake one. Contrary to all predictions of a few years ago, the demand for university education is still on the increase. The part-time student population is growing faster than anyone anticipated. The government has lowered the level of funding and, of course, all capital expense for a Church-related College would be the responsibility of the Church. Another St. Michael's in Toronto would require a minimum initial outlay of over 10 million with no frills, no graduate facilities, no books. That would only be the beginning. There are no visible educational entrepreneurs willing to take that kind of gamble or risk. Hence, the nostalgia for the good old days is just that, nostalgia. The realists are trying to keep the St. Michael's spirit a vital one in a much larger body of students.

### The Gilson Biography

Etienne Gilson is one of the great names in St. Michael's history. He, perhaps more than anyone, gave St. Michael's international stature through the Pontifical Institute of Mediaeval Studies. It was he who brought Jacques Maritain to St. Michael's and, between them, they inspired several generations of students and really initiated graduate studies and research on this campus. A man such as Gilson deserves a scholarly and sympathetic biographer. One might say that the ideal biographer should be a former student whom Gilson directed, one who became a colleague, an associate and a friend who carried on Gilson's dream and worked unstintingly to preserve it. Add to this the trust shown by Gilson in delivering to such a person the entirety of his personal papers and letters to be dealt with by the exacting standards that Gilson always demanded of his students and colleagues and you have Father Laurence Shook.

Father Shook has worked on this biography with devotion and care, and has now brought it to completion and handed the manuscript to the publisher. St. Michael's Alumni can look forward to its publication. It may take a little longer

than usual since it is a comprehensive work, but, appear it will.

### Mindpower at U. of T.

Since OPEC and the escalation in the price of oil, the entire world had been alerted to the dependency of contemporary society on energy and shocked by its cost. There is considerable energy being expended in search of alternative sources of energy to those we now have. Sunpower and windpower are back in vogue and the universities of North America are concerned lest the world lose sight of the energy source without which all other energies become either meaningless or destructive — Mindpower. The Council for the Advancement and Support of Education initiated a campaign, the slogan for which is *America's Energy is Mindpower*. Since there are scores of Canadian colleges and universities which are members of the Council, including the U. of T. and St. Michael's, the campaign in Canada is conducted under the banner of *Canada's Energy is Mindpower*.

One of the major purposes is to focus the attention of the public on the contribution higher education makes to our society. The campaign in Canada is conducted on the national scale and it is the first time that Canadian institutions have joined together to mount such a national campaign. Ontario took the leadership in Canada and the U. of T., through President James Ham, took the leadership in Ontario. Initially intended to last for one year, it is certain to be extended. This year it will reach its high point in an International Higher Education Day celebration in July when the Council's assembly will be held in Toronto. This event will be a celebration for those participating and will have national and international news coverage.

A major feature of the program consists in putting on display little known dimensions of the work done in universities and inviting the public to view it. During the course of the current year, three major efforts were made in the Faculty of Arts and Science, the first featuring the very wide involvement of the University in the field of archeological research, the second concerned with the research on memory being done at the U. of T. and, the final one dealing with Shakespeare and the history of theatre. (See below for a St. Michael's event)

The Mindpower campaign is, in the first place, an awareness campaign, awareness on the part of the public of the importance of universities. In the next place, it is an effort to prevent the

lowering of priorities, specifically the relegation of education to a lower rung than it demonstrably deserves. Finally it is an effort to attract the financial support which an enlightened public is more likely to provide. Before the international convention in July the University of Toronto, in its final preparation as host, will feature the Mindpower theme at Convocation.

### James Joyce Centenary Festival

The major St. Michael's involvement in the Mindpower campaign during the past year was her participation with the University in celebrating the centenary of James Joyce's birth. Older eyes might be shocked to see St. Michael's name linked with Joyce's. Younger ears which have listened to McLuhan and O'Driscoll are not. Those who accept the knowledgeable criticism of Denis Donoghue of New York University interpreting the later Joyce would find the linking of names perfectly in order.

The festival had a prologue when the Lieutenant Governor, the Honourable John Aird, hosted a reception in the vice-regal chambers to launch *The Celtic Consciousness*, the prestigious volume edited by Professor O'Driscoll and containing the papers presented at the international symposium in 1978.

The festival itself lasted over two weeks. The academic aspect comprised lectures by eminent scholars, among them Denis Donoghue, Maire de Paor, Donald Theall, Joseph Campbell, Dougald McMillan and Eric McLuhan. The artistic aspect extended to dance, music, drama and painting and involved and featured John Cage, Sorel Etrog, Jean Erdman, Jim Sheridan, Joe Heaney, Treasa O'Driscoll, the Chieftans, Peggy Delaney and Tom O'Hanley.

Mindpower was well served since the Roaratorio of John Cage and *The Coach with the Six Insides* by Jean Erdman drew rave reviews in the local press and other media. Both featured *Finnegan's Wake* and the gala of Celtic Music held in Convocation Hall had as its theme *Lots of Fun at Finnegan's Wake*. It, too, drew the unreserved approval of the local critics.

The festival was a good illustration of the complementarity of the academic and artistic worlds, of the manner in which the university enriches culture and art inspires and provokes study and research. The Roaratorio of John Cage was inspired by a remark of the late Marshall McLuhan, *The Coach with the Six Insides*, the dramatization of one of

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# VARSITY FUND

Has 1984 arrived ahead of schedule? There seems to be a general feeling in universities these days that it has. Adequate government financing has become the rear-view mirror look. Without substantial and continuous non-government sources of income, the future contains the prospect of mediocrity and chronic academic malnutrition. It is ironic that on the completion of Update, the most successful fund raising campaign in Canadian university history, the U. of T. finds itself more financially pressed than at any time in recent memory, perhaps ever.

What has gone wrong? It would be easy to formulate a litany of answers and prominent among them would be that for too long we have taken some invalid assumptions for granted. One of these was that the U. of T. could belong in the major academic league while forgoing the development of support patterns which other comparable universities deemed imperative. Among these was Alumni support. We suffer from a century of neglect on this score. Our peers among state supported universities on the average do about ten times as well. Putting nearly all the eggs in the state support basket has proven to be a painfully invalid assumption. It is doubly painful when the state tells you so.

Where does St. Mike's fit into this picture? The readers of the *Newsletter* will detect a familiar ring here. Adversity gave St. Michael's a premonition, an early alert. If there was a voice crying in the wilderness, it was the St. Michael's voice. We woke earlier from the slumber of invalidity. Of all alumni in U. of T., St. Mike's have been the best. As a consequence, you have kept the cosmic calendar on schedule, and 1984 might not be the year of Orwell's vindication. We tried for \$230,000 in 1981 and received \$247,815. We tried for an additional \$15,000 for Varsity Arena, slipped on the ice and got \$12,500. In short, St. Mike's Alumni contributed over \$260,000. The by-product is that St. Mike's is serving as a group to be emulated and a goad to go and do likewise to others.

The world, however, is never perfect. Varsity Fund in 1981 raised \$15,000

more than in 1980, but from 150 fewer donors. St. Mike's participation rate is now well above that of other constituencies in the University, but only because it has not declined as much. We are still effectively cut off from the large majority of U.S. Alumni both because Congress is dragging its feet in making reciprocal the current law in Canada which allows tax eligible donations to U.S. universities and because the U. of T. Associates in New York do not recognize the federated structure of the U. of T. in distributing gifts made to them by St. Mike's Alumni. There are U.S. Alumni who send gifts directly to the College at their own risk. St. Mike's has about 10,000 non-contributing Alumni. About 2,000 of these we have lost contact with and a further 1,000 are resident in the U.S. There are reasons why the St. Mike's Varsity Fund cannot be fully catholic, embracing all our Alumni. There is room for improvement to match the growing need.

In this light, the Board of Directors of the Alumni Association has set the 1982 objective at \$275,000. To attain this, we must increase the number of donors. St. Mike's does not intend to take for granted her very generous donors but the fact is that too few are asked to carry an annually heavier burden. Short of millions falling from the sky, it is gospel truth that the survival of excellence in the U. of T. and in St. Mike's is inextricably bound to Alumni support. It is impossible to overstate this fact. Perhaps the bluntest way of stating it is to say that only increased participation can make 1984 simply a calendar year.

The proposal is to allocate \$110,000 to the Library; \$55,000 to Alumni Affairs (the increase from \$40,000 to meet vastly increased postal expenses); \$30,000 to Academic Initiatives to alleviate as much as possible the deep freeze on academic appointments and \$80,000 toward Alumni Hall.

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the least understood and outstanding works in twentieth century English literature. The festival celebrated not only the publication of a major scholarly work in *The Celtic Consciousness* but also prompted sculptor Sorel Etrog to write and publish *Dream Chamber: Joyce and the Dada Circus*. It also saw the launching of a special limited edition, *Imagination Dead Image* by Samuel Beckett, illustrated by Sorel Etrog. The whole event was a spinoff of the very successful launching of the U. of T.'s Program in Celtic Studies, a launching in no small part due to the Alumni of St. Michael's.

### **St. Basil and the St. Peter and St. Andrew Lectures**

On the feast of the Chair of St. Peter at Rome, two related events took place, the publication of the two volume edition entitled *St. Basil* edited by Paul Fedwick of the Pontifical Institute and the St. Peter lecture given by Michael Fahey, S.J. of Concordia University, Montreal. Alumni will recall that a major St. Basil Symposium was held at St. Michael's in

1979 to commemorate the sixteenth centenary of St. Basil. That event marked the opening of a dialogue in Canada between the Greek Orthodox Church and the Roman Catholic Church. The publication of the papers given marks a major collaborative effort by Catholics and Orthodox in the study of a common teacher in both traditions. The lecture by Father Fahey is a further step towards better understanding and mutual respect. Cardinal Carter and Archbishop Soterios both attended the lecture and St. Michael's interprets this as their mutual blessing on her efforts to promote further this very important ecumenical undertaking. Congratulations are in order to Paul Fedwick for his work in editing and producing this important scholarly work, and to Father Robert Barringer, C.S.B. who has worked indefatigably and with a sensitivity born of a scholar's awareness of the importance of doctrine and tradition to bring closer together segments of Christ's Church whose respective strengths will be enhanced by closer association. The College hopes to continue this dialogue on or near the feast of St. Andrew at the close of the month of November.

# ALUMNI HALL IS ON THE WAY

Remember 121 St. Joseph Street? On July 1, 1982, the premises will be vacated by the University of Toronto and St. Michael's will begin the rehabilitation which will incorporate the site as part of the College campus. It has been a slow and frequently frustrating process involving nearly fifteen years. Protracted negotiations with the government were followed by an understanding of temporary occupation by the University of Toronto. That temporary occupation was extended by nearly five years due to the fire which destroyed the Sandford Fleming building of the U. of T. Space is at a premium and St. Michael's, as an act of good citizenship in the U. of T., agreed to the use by the U. of T. until Sandford Fleming could be restored. The reopening is due in June. On July 1, 1982, 121 St. Joseph Street will become known as Alumni Hall, the official christening to take place when the rehabilitation is completed. The target date is for the Spring Reunion of 1983.

While other constituencies in the University spread their Update aims, St. Michael's put all its eggs in this one basket. The delay has not been altogether in vain since, during the past five years, the College has been able to articulate its aims more precisely. The need for more accommodation for men in residence has become clearer. This will be secured by the relocation of many academic offices from Elmsley Hall to Alumni Hall, returning the vacated space to residential use. Plans call for a theatre, a computer site, large and small classrooms, a College Council and Senate Chamber, the Registrar's Office complex, as well as departmental offices. The architect is John Farrugia who designed the St. Michael's College Library.

No doubt the cost will have escalated because of the delay. There are about 36,000 square feet of space in the building and there is not, as yet, a projected cost. During the course of the Update Campaign, the U. of T. transferred to St. Mike's \$720,103 toward the cost and the St. Michael's Alumni contributed an additional \$333,499 for a total of \$1,053,602. As of this writing, there is on hand a little in excess of \$1,400,000 earning interest. St. Mike's met and surpassed the 1981 Varsity Fund goal and a further \$85,000 will be added to the Fund for rehabilitation when the De-

cember transfer is made to the College. With nearly a million and a half at work until the expected costs accrue, there is a fervent hope that the reconstruction costs can be met. Alumni Hall will not be the most expensive capital project ever undertaken by St. Michael's; it will, how-

ever, be the one for which the greatest amount of money has been raised from a campaign. Thousands of St. Mike's Alumni have made this possible. A rousing cheer to them all. Alumni Hall will be a lasting testimony to their dedication to St. Michael's.

## ST. MIKE'S STUDENT NAMED OUTSTANDING PLAYER IN CANADIAN COLLEGE FOOTBALL

St. Mike's does not receive invitations to Bowl games. That does not mean that outstanding athletes are not found in the student body; they are. 1981 was the banner year; a St. Michael's student, for the first time, won the Hec Crighton trophy. This is the most prestigious award in Canadian College football and the jury is an expert one and national in scope. The winner was Dan Feraday, a fourth year History major. Those who know the rigours of history specialists at the U. of T. will be aware that Dan is a scholar as well as the best quarterback on the Canadian College scene.



Dan has been first string quarterback on the Varsity Blues for the past two years and, of course, this year was All Canadian. During the 1981 season, Dan rewrote the record book for passing, a record which had stood for some years. One brother is an alumnus, another a fellow student. The 'Newsletter' is proud to cite Dan Feraday, and it also seizes the opportunity to cite the best football roofer that St. Mike's has seen in many a day in the person of Dan's father, Detective Sergeant Feraday of the Metropolitan Toronto Police. Put a Feraday on the

field, there is sure to be one on the sidelines, be the locale Varsity Stadium for intercollegiate or the back campus for interfaculty. This is the kind of family support that is heartwarming to see, and is seen frequently at St. Mike's. When St. Mike's makes the finals, it is an occasion for a mini-reunion.

## Windrose '82

The students of St. Michael's College are re-establishing an old tradition — the yearbook. *Windrose* will present all facets of SMC — including Homecoming, and involve students, alumni and faculty. We are offering the opportunity for alumni to become sponsors of the book. For \$10 your name could be included. *Windrose* will be available in April and will be sold for \$3 — advance orders only. It's your book too! Be part of a tradition. For information concerning sales, advertising and sponsorship, contact Sharon Callender or Paul Wainman, c/o SMCSU, 81 St. Marys St., Box 1, Toronto, Ontario or call, 923-8893.

## Requiescant in Pace

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O'Reilly, Miss B. Teresa, '16  
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Smyth, Claire M., '17  
Totton, Mrs. H.E. (Marguerite A. Hayes), '33

# ST. MIKE'S MULOCK CUP CHAMPS OF 1981

After loosing heartbreakers in the finals of 1979 and 1980 St. Mike's was not to be denied in 1981. However much the roster changes from one year to the next, St. Mike's is always expected to field one of the major contenders for the oldest cup in U. of T. competition. There

were enough veterans from the 1980 team to make sure that over-confidence would not be the chief obstacle to overcome. The unkind laid the defeat of 1980 at that door. Coach Lex Byrd made sure that celebrating the win would happen after rather than before the last game.

There was more than the occasional reference to Vince Lombardi discipline throughout the season and the formula worked. St. Mike's and P. and H.E. were close contenders throughout the season but the St. Mike's determination prevailed in the final game.



*Front Row: Peter Dunn, Steve Taborek, Pete Dubniak, Mark Carniglia, Mike Day, John Desjardins, Mulock Cup, Nick Lisi, Doug Zuliani, Rob Pellegrini, Rob Tricania, Tim O'Connor.*

*Second Row: Tom Shanahan, Dave Lametti, Paul McCann, Lorenzo Lisi, Serge Rosa, John Sevaglio, Tom Piecuch, Mike Surman, Roman Kalinowski, Jim Cassidy, Roman Messic, Lex Byrd (Coach).*

*Back Row: Dave Sobinsky (Ass't. Coach), Drew Taylor (Coach), Tony D'Angelo, Steve Doren (Coach), Steve Robillard, Chuck Holland (Trainer), Charlie McCarthy, Pete Wadsworth, Lonnie Coghlan, Pierre Lapointe, Pat Murphy, Bruce Fitzpatrick, Mark Springett, Mark Maltais, George Provato, Mark Williams.*

## MAIL PROBLEMS

St. Michael's has had one which is unique. We have used a blue return envelope, so has the U. of T. We have Varsity Fund over St. Michael's College in our address and the U. of T. has it over University of Toronto on hers. The same color and the Varsity Fund title has the U. of T. receiving St. Michael's mail and St. Michael's receiving the U. of T.'s. To avoid this in the future, St. Michael's has gone to white return envelopes and has dropped the words 'Varsity Fund' from the address. The return envelopes will be distinctive enough, we hope, to avoid confusion in the future.

ST. MICHAEL'S COLLEGE  
(Honoured Years Only)

PROGRAMME OF EVENTS — SPRING REUNION 1982

JUNE 11, 12, 13  
(Friday, Saturday, Sunday)  
1912, 1922, 1932, 1942, 1957

June 11 Friday	8:00 p.m. to Midnight	Reception — Lounge, Brennan Hall
June 12 Saturday	10:00 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.	Registration, Hart House — U. of T.
	10:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.	Bus Tours of Campus — Carillon Recital, etc.
	12:00 —	***Lunch for Years 1912, 1922, 1932, 1942
	1:30 —	***Lunch for Year 1957 only
	2:45 p.m.	Buses to President Ham's for Garden Party (Please use bus) from Hart House
	3:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.	President Ham's Garden Party
	3:35 p.m. to 5:15 p.m.	Buses back to Hart House
	6:30 p.m.	Preprandials for St. Mike's Honoured Year Grads. Lounge — Brennan Hall
	7:30 p.m. to Midnight	DINNER — Canada Room, Brennan Hall <b>Reservations required — Honoured Year Grads and spouses only.</b> After Dinner, Lounge Brennan Hall
June 13 Sunday	10:30 a.m.	REUNION MASS — College Chapel
	12:00 noon	Brunch — Canada Room, Brennan Hall (Reservations required)
	The College is your host for the Reception, Cocktail Party, Dinner and Sunday Brunch, by reservations from the S.M.C. Alumni Office, 1-416-921-3151: local 220. DEADLINE DATE JUNE 2nd, 1982	
	***Hart House Luncheon. Please order through Alumni Office, U. of T. 1-416-978-2366	

Year Reps: 1912 — no one                      1942 — Mr. David Bennett  
              1922 — Miss Sheila Doyle        1957 — Brian Anderson  
              1932 — Father John M. Kelly

CHANGES????

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GRAD YEAR AND DEGREE \_\_\_\_\_

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## NOTICE OF GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING

University of St. Michael's College Alumni Association  
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Notice is hereby given that the General Membership Meeting for members of the University of St. Michael's College Alumni Association will be held in the Elmsley East Common Room, St. Michael's College, on Wednesday the 5th day of May, 1982, at the hour of 8:00 o'clock in the evening (Toronto time) for the purpose of:

1. Receiving the report of the President
2. Election of directors
3. Transacting such other business as may properly come before the Meeting.

If you are not able to attend the Meeting, please detach, sign and return this Proxy Form which appears below.

Toronto, February, 1982

By order of the directors  
Carol Hodson  
President



## PROXY

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The undersigned member(s) of the University of St. Michael's College Alumni Association hereby appoint(s) Carol Hodson, '69, whom failing Clara (Carroll) Lyons, '28, whom failing, \_\_\_\_\_ as proxy to vote for and on behalf of the undersigned at the General Membership Meeting to be held on Wednesday, the 5th day of May, 1982, and at any adjournments thereof.

Dated this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 1982

Signature of member(s) \_\_\_\_\_ Year \_\_\_\_\_





